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SUBJECT: ANGOLA IN LISBON PRESS

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1. MPLA GOVERNMENT POLICIES: COMMUNIST-LINING "O SEculo" OF NOV 18 REPORTED STATEMENT BY MPLA FOREIGN MINISTER THAT MPLA FOREIGN POLICY WILL BE ONE OF NONALIGNMENT AND OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH ALL COUNTRIES, BASED ON MUTUAL RESPECT AND RECIPROCITY OF INTERESTS. COMMUNIST-LINING "DIARIO DE NOTICIAS" (DN) OF NOV 18 REPORTED DECISION OF MPLA GOVT TO REDUCE SALARIES OF ITS MINISTERS AND SECRETARIES OF STATE BY HALF, AS EXAMPLE OF ECONOMIC AUSTERITY REQUIRED OF ANGOLANS.

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2. LEFTIST INDEPENDENT "DIARIO POPULAR" NOV 17 DISCUSSED  
BACKGROUND OF THE SIX SECRETARIES OF STATE IN MPLA GOVT. ALL  
HAVE HISTORIES, OF VARYING LENGTH, OF INVOLVEMENT WITH MPLA.  
AUGUSTO LOPES TEIXEIRA (ENERGY AND INDUSTRY) REPORTEDLY STUDIED  
IN SOVIET UNION, AND SAYDI MINGAS (FINANCE), DESCRIBED AS  
"ACKNOWLEDGED MARXIST-LENINIST", IN CUBA.

3. IN WAKE OF MPLA CRITICISM OF FOREIGN PRESS (PARTICULARLY  
REUTER AND ANOP) FOR REPORTING SHOOTING INCIDENT (PARA 2,  
REFTEL) AS POSSIBLE ATTEMPT ON NATO'S LIFE, ANOP HAS ISSUED  
STATEMENT OF APOLOGY, CARRIED IN DN NOV 18. STATEMENT DISCLAIMS  
ANY INTENTION TO DISTORT FACTS OR OFFEND NETO OR MPLA, ADDING,  
"FOR US, MPLA IS VANGUARD OF ANGOLAN PEOPLE".  
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